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In re Patent Application of: Daisuke Kanenari et al.

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING COMPOSITION CONTAINING POLYMER FROM LIQUID CONTAINING POLYMER COMPONENT AND DRYING APPARATUS FOR SAME

Examiner: N. M. Buie

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 (FINAL OFFICE ACTION)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 31, 2009 in the abovecaptioned case.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.